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ance of the Regulations prescribed by this Act.

the United Kingdom, or in the said Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, or Sark, or in the Isle of Man, to or for any Port or Place in His Majesty's Possession on the Continent or Islands of North America, the Master of the said Ship shall enter into a Bond to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, with one good and sufficient Surety, to be approved by the Collector or other Chief Officer of Customs at such Port, in the Sum of One thousand Pounds, the Condition of which Bond shall be, that the said Ship is sea-worthy, and that all and every the Rules and Regulations made and prescribed by this Act for the Carriage of Passengers shall be well and truly performed before and during such intended Voyage, and that all Penalties, Fines, and Forfeitures which the Master of such Ship may be sentenced or adjudged to pay for or in respect of the Breach or Non-performance, before or during such Voyage, of any such Rules and Regulations, shall be well and truly paid : Provided always, that such Bond as aforesaid shall be without Stamps; and that no such Bond shall be put in Suit; and that no Prosecution, Suit, Action, or Information shall be brought under or by virtue of this Act, or upon or by reason of the Breach of any of the Provisions thereof, in any of His Majesty's Possessions Abroad, after the Expiration of Twelve Calendar Months next succeeding the Commencement of any such Voyage as aforesaid, nor in the United Kingdom or any of the Islands before mentioned, after the Expiration of Twelve Calendar Months next after the Return of the Master to the Port or Place from which he sailed on such Voyage.

Not to extend to Post Office Ships.

Indies.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to any Ship in the Service of His Majesty's Postmaster General.

IX. And be it further enacted and declared, That the Bahama Nor to the Bahama Islands, and His Majesty's Possessions in the West Indies, are not Islands nor and shall not be deemed or taken to be comprised within the Prothe West visions aforesaid, or any of them.

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Limitation of Actions.